

CITY OF TEMPE REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Council Meeting Date: 8/22/2013

Agenda Item: 5B1

<u>ACTION</u>: Award a sole source contract to Harris Corporation for the purchase of specialized hardware, software and training to support the Police Department.

FISCAL IMPACT: The cost of this contract shall not exceed \$123,497.50. Sufficient funds have been appropriated in cost center 2222 (Police Department – RICO and Grant Fund) for the anticipated expenditures in the 2013/2014 fiscal year.

RECOMMENDATION: Award the contract.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The sole source procurement being requested is to purchase specialized hardware, software and training to be utilized as an add-on with existing equipment originally purchased from Harris Corporation. The specialized equipment and software will be integrated with, and is only compatible with, the existing Harris Corporation equipment. The specialized equipment and software covered by this request is used primarily in conjunction with investigations conducted by the Criminal Investigations Bureau and the Special Investigations Bureau of the Tempe Police Department.

ATTACHMENTS: N/A

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